a body portio	n having an inner surface,	an outer surface, a first	end and a second end,	
the inner surface def	ining a passage configured	to receive the probe en	d, and the passage	
extending and incren	nentally increasing in size	from the first end towar	rd the second end;	
at least one fl	exible annular flange dispo	osed on the outer surfac	e of the body portion.	
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3 . (new)	The ear probe tip of clair	n 32, wherein the passa	ge comprises one of a	
frusto-conical shape	and a cylindrical shape.		Fig 1	:
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34 (new)	new) The ear probe tip of claim 32, wherein the body portion comprises a			
frusto-conical shape.			F151	
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()2/33. (new)	The ear probe tip of clair	n 32, wherein the at leas	st one flexible annular	
flange is disposed su	bstantially perpendicular to	the body portion.	f 15	
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$63^{36. \text{ (new)}}$	The ear probe tip of clair	n 32, wherein the at leas	st one flexible annular	
flange is disposed pr	oximate to a middle portion	n of the body portion.	Canen 4 L.	
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21 . (new)	The ear probe tip of clair	n 32 further comprising	a chamfer, the MODD	
chamfer is disposed	proximate to the second en	d.	σ	
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38. (new)	The ear probe tip of claim	n 32, wherein the ear pr	robe tip is constructed	
of one of a plastic ma	aterial and an elastic mater	ial.		
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39. (new)	The ear probe tip of claim	n 32, wherein the ear pr	obe tip is disposable.	71
	the inner surface definence extending and increment at least one flow 2. 23. (new) frusto-conical shape 34. (new) frusto-conical shape. 35. (new) flange is disposed surface disposed processed in the second surface is disposed processed. 26. (new) chamfer is disposed processed in the second surface is disposed processed. 38. (new) of one of a plastic many surface definence in the second surface is disposed.	the inner surface defining a passage configured extending and incrementally increasing in size at least one flexible annular flange disposed. 2 23. (new) The ear probe tip of clair frusto-conical shape and a cylindrical shape. 34 (new) The ear probe tip of clair frusto-conical shape. 35. (new) The ear probe tip of clair flange is disposed substantially perpendicular to flange is disposed proximate to a middle portion of the ear probe tip of clair chamfer is disposed proximate to the second enterprobe of the second enterprobe of a plastic material and an elastic material of one of a plastic material and an elastic material.	the inner surface defining a passage configured to receive the probe en extending and incrementally increasing in size from the first end toward at least one flexible annular flange disposed on the outer surface 2. 23. (new) The ear probe tip of claim 32, wherein the passa frusto-conical shape and a cylindrical shape. 34. (new) The ear probe tip of claim 32, wherein the body frusto-conical shape. 35. (new) The ear probe tip of claim 32, wherein the at least flange is disposed substantially perpendicular to the body portion. 36. (new) The ear probe tip of claim 32, wherein the at least flange is disposed proximate to a middle portion of the body portion. 37. (new) The ear probe tip of claim 32, wherein the ear probability of the second end. 38. (new) The ear probe tip of claim 32, wherein the ear profession of a plastic material and an elastic material.	The ear probe tip of claim 32, wherein the body portion comprises a frusto-conical shape. (1) (1) (2) (3) (3) (1) (1) (2) (3) (3) (1) (1) (3) (1) (1) (3) (1) (3) (1) (1) (3) (1) (3) (1) (3) (1) (1) (3) (1) (3) (1) (2) (3) (1) (3) (1) (2) (3) (1) (3) (1) (2) (3) (1) (3) (1) (2) (3) (1) (3) (1) (2) (3) (3) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4) (4

40. (new) An ear probe tip for the end of a probe which can be inserted into an ear canal, the ear probe tip comprising: a body portion having an inner surface, an outer surface, a first end and a second end; and a passage defined by the inner surface, the passage having a first cross-sectional area proximate to the first end and a second cross-sectional area proximate to the second end, the first cross-sectional area being smaller in size than the second cross-sectional area. The ear probe tip of claim 40, wherein the passage comprises one of a frusto-conical shape and a cylindrical shape. The ear probe tip of claim 40, wherein the body portion comprises a frusto-conical shape. The ear probe tip of claim 40 further comprising at least one flexible 43. (new) flange disposed on the outer surface of the body portion at a distance from the first end. 744. (new) The ear probe tip of claim 43, wherein the at least one comprises a cross-sectional shape of one of a circle, a triangle, and a square.

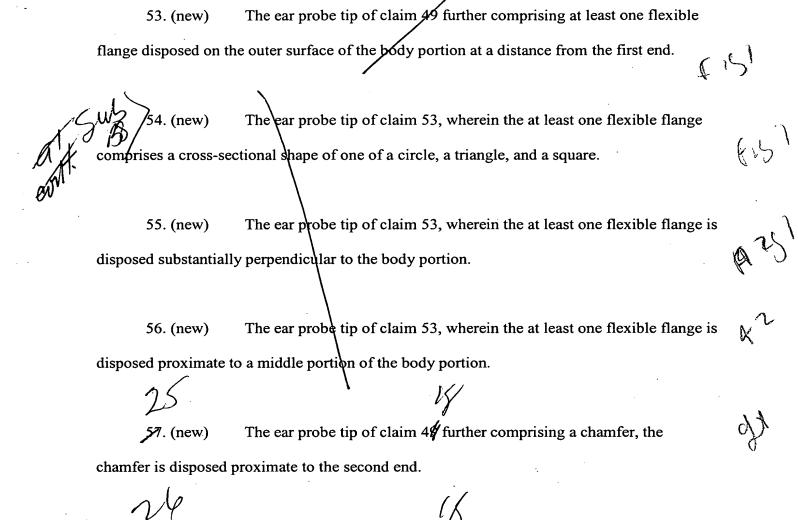
45. (new) The ear probe tip of claim 43, wherein the at least one flexible flange The ear probe tip of claim 43, wherein the at least one flexible flange is disposed substantially perpendicular to the body portion.

46. (new) The ear probe tip of claim 43, wherein the at least one flexible flange is disposed proximate to a middle portion of the body portion.

The ear probe tip of claim 4 further comprising a chamfer, the (/ 47; (new) chamfer is disposed proximate to the second end. The ear probe tip of claim 40, wherein the ear probe tip is constructed of one of a plastic material and an elastic material. 49. (new) An ear probe tip for the end of a probe which can be inserted into an ear canal, the ear probe tip comprising: a body portion having an inner surface, an outer surface, a first end, and a second end, the inner surface of the body portion defining a passage configured to receive the probe end, and the passage extending and incrementally increasing in size from the first end toward the second end; and a ring disposed on the outer surface of the body portion proximal to the second end. The ear probe tip of claim 44, wherein the ring comprises one of a 56. (new) The ear probe tip of claim 49, wherein the ring comprises one of a continuous ring and a non-continuous ring disposed on the outer surface of the body portion. 51. (new) The ear probe tip of claim 49, wherein the passage comprises one of a frusto-conical shape and a cylindrical shape. The ear probe tip of claim 49, wherein the body portion comprises a

frusto-conical shape.

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of one of a plastic material and an elastic material.

The ear probe tip of claim 49, wherein the ear probe tip is constructed

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